

a first layer or set of layers arranged to function as one or more electrodes or conductors; and

a second layer overlying the first layer and arranged to function as one or more press contacts or wire bond pads, wherein the second layer has different physical properties than the first layer, wherein the first layer or set of layers is relatively hard or tough and the second layer is relatively soft or malleable.

4. (Twice Amended) A device according to claim 1, wherein the second soft or malleable layer is formed from one of aluminum or gold.

9. (Twice Amended) A device according to claim 1, wherein additional titanium is formed on one or more of the surfaces that form an inner surface of a sealed cavity in the device.

[Please add new claims 22-33 as follows:]

-- 22. (NEW) A device according to claim 1, further comprising a substrate, wherein the first layer or set of layers overlies and is bonded directly to the substrate.

23. (NEW) A device according to claim 22, wherein the first layer or set of layers is bonded to the substrate via anodic bonding.

24. (NEW) A device according to claim 1, wherein a sealed cavity is located in the device.

25. (NEW) A device having electrical and mechanical components, the device comprising multiple layers that include:

a first layer or set of layers arranged to function as one or more electrodes or conductors; and

a second layer arranged to function as one or more press contacts or wire bond pads, wherein the second layer has different physical properties than the first layer, wherein the first layer or set of layers is relatively hard or tough and the second layer is relatively soft or malleable,

wherein a sealed cavity is located in the device.

26. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein the first layer or set of layers is formed from titanium.

27. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein there is a first set of layers formed from titanium and titanium nitride.

28. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein the second soft or malleable layer is formed from one of aluminum or gold.

29. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein the first layer or set of layers is approximately 7000 Å thick.

30. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein the first layer or set of layers is approximately 3000 Å to 10000 Å thick.

31. (NEW) A device according to claim 25, wherein the second layer is approximately 5000 Å thick.